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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments prior to examination.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all claims and insert the following new claims:

--1. A method of redrawing a visual display of graphical data whereby a current display is replaced by an updated display, comprising, in response to a redraw request, immediately replacing the current display with a first approximate representation of the updated display, generating a final updated display, and replacing the approximate representation with the final updated display.

2. A method as claimed in claim 1, including replacing said first approximate representation with one or more successive improved approximate representations of the updated display before replacing the last displayed approximate representation with the final updated display.

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